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THE OLD BALL-DRESS.

BY I. J. PRICE.

Mrs. Langdon had sent out cards of invitation to her "dear five hundred" friends, for a grand ball at her elegant residence on Fifth Avenue, in honor of the entrance of her twin daughters into society.

They had just been graduated at some fashionable, "finishing off" establishment, and their *debut* was intended to be a very magnificent affair.

Mrs. Gregory, husband, and daughters, were on the invited list. As the former and two latter sat in their parlor, looking at the very elegant cards, with the interesting subject under deep discussion, they were broken in upon by the entrance of Mr. Gregory, who looked harassed and weary.

"Papa!" cried Lena, the elder daughter, "see our invitations to Mrs. Langdon's great ball," showing him the cards she held in her hand. "And there is the *loveliest* silk at Stewart's, that I want to wear. Can I go and order it to-morrow?" she pleaded, laying her white hand, flashing with jewels, on his arm, and looking up into his face.

"Haven't you any dresses to wear?" he asked, somewhat moodily.

"A plenty of old ones, which have already been worn, and will not answer for this particular event," she replied.

"How much will it cost?" asked Mr. Gregory.

"Oh, perhaps a hundred and fifty," said Lena, carelessly, with as little idea of the value of money as an unfledged bird.

Her father groaned, and said something about foolish extravagance; and drawing out his pocket-book, slowly counted out the required sum, and laid it on the table.

"How much do you want, Bertha?" he asked, turning towards her.

"I don't want any, papa. I have a pretty dress, which will answer very nicely," she replied.

"You're a sensible girl, and the man that gets you for a wife will have some one to help him keep his head above water. If the pressure on the money market lasts much longer, with these demands to meet, I shall soon be a dead bankrupt," said Mr. Gregory, as he left the room.

"What is the trouble with papa? What does make him talk so dolefully when he is asked for a little money?" said Lena. "Any one would think he was a poor man."

"It is one of his money-nervous spells; he is always so afraid his business affairs won't come out just so straight; then it is economy, and retrenchment, or everything will drift to bankruptcy. That is the way business men always talk, till it has become quite an old story with me," said Mrs. Gregory, drawing a breath of relief.

"I don't think papa is trying to frighten us at all," said Bertha. "I think his business does really perplex him. I've noticed for a week that he has looked pale and care-worn, and has said but little. I asked him yesterday, if he was not well, and he said there were anxieties preying upon his mind."

"Was that the reason you didn't want a new ball-dress?" asked Lena.

"Yes. I'd rather wear an old one than place papa to the expense of a new one just now, while money is so hard to raise," replied Bertha.

"Really, Miss Bertha, you are becoming quite learned in financial affairs. I should think papa would give you the position of private counsellor in his counting-room. With your wise brain to aid him, he might sail through seas of trouble, dry-shod," said Lena, with sarcasm.

"Pray, inform us how you came to know so much about monetary affairs, my daughter," Mrs. Gregory said.

"I heard papa and Mr. Ainsley talking about business when he was here the other evening, and he said it was almost an impossibility to get any money at all now," said Bertha.

"Well, you are a little goosey; if you will go to the grandest ball of the season in an old, made-over ball-dress, and be rediculed by all the *elite*, you can do so. A few hundred dollars can't make much difference any way. And when you see the victory, which may, perhaps, be won over a certain attractive gentleman of our mutual acquaintance, by your elder sister's more stylish toilet, you will regret your decision in favor of Madame Noah's antediluvian costume," said Lena sneeringly.

"I'm perfectly indifferent to the praise or contempt of the fashionable world, for there is neither heart nor sincerity in it. And concerning the gentleman of whom you so strangely hint, if his heart is only susceptible to the influence of costly apparel, he can pay court to it as long as he wishes, without once exciting my jealousy, as I want no dry-goods worshipper for my future leige lord. So, *ma chere* sister, you have the field open and free to yourself."

"March no, march on, ye brave, to victory or death!" sung Bertha, jubilantly, waiving her handkerchief at Lena, who was picking up her money from the table, where her father had laid it, and humming a gay operatic air.

"Bertha, what dress have you to wear? You haven't any that you've not already worn two or three times, at least; and I desire my daughters to make as elegant an appearance as any of their friends on this occasion," said Mrs. Gregory.

As Mrs. Gregory was a particular friend of Mrs. Langdon, she felt in duty bound to honor, as much as possible, the advent of her daughters to the fashionable world, and the attire of her own daughters, on this particular occasion was an all-important consideration.

"I'm going to have Madame Leicester make over my blue, *gros* grain silk, and you know she is a noted genius for renewing worn ball-dresses; but if, after it is done, it looks antediluvian, and smells musty, I'll do penance by staying at home," said Bertha.

"Do just as you prefer; but I think your father would give you a new dress if you wished it," Mrs. Gregory said.

Lena purchased the new dress, and had it made up without regard to expense, and it was exquisite when done, and extremely becoming to the young lady, who had been congratulating herself on the success she was determined to achieve.

Bertha's dress came from the mantua-maker's hands as beautiful as could be, and none would ever have suspected it had already been thrice worn, unless she had been seen with it on. It harmonized admirably with her fair, blonde complexion, forming a vivid contrast to Lena's more brilliant style of personal attractiveness, and bright, orange-colored robe.

The day previous to the ball, Clara Ainsley called, a sister of Hugh Ainsley, who was the fixed, central star, around which the feminine luminaries had ambitiously beamed for the last two seasons, each fondly hoping to be the finally favored one.

But, to the secret chagrin of each, he still maintained the same quiet coutliness of manner towards them all. He seemed quite as indifferent to their heart affairs as he would have been to the pyramids of Egypt. This was the gentleman Lena was bending all her energies to ensnare and bring to her feet, before the present season closed.

Clara was an intimate friend of both the girls, and she was invited up stairs to see the dresses, which had just been sent home. Their beauty she warmly expatiated upon, but Lena would not allow her to leave until she had told her of Bertha's wonderful fit of economy, and laughingly said she should certainly take her opera glasses with her to the ball, that she might descry some interesting, poor young gentleman, with whom she knew her sister must have a secret understanding, and for whose benefit she was carrying out this whim of prudence.

The combined entreaties of all the trio could not induce Mr. Gregory to accompany them to Mrs. Langdon's. He pleaded a headache and fatigue. This was a cover to the real reason. His business affairs were daily becoming more entangled, by means of several heavy failures of parties owing him to a great extent, and all he could see before him was ruin and disgrace, but he would keep his forebodings to himself until after the *fete* was over, when, if he found no means of extricating himself, he would make a clean breast of the whole thing to them.

Hugh Ainsley was quite attentive to Miss Lena that night, who looked very queenly in the gay throng, and his attentions were received with deep satisfaction to herself. Nor was the less interested Bertha, who had laid no seige to him, overlooked.

He inquired at once where her father was, as he had not seen him there. To her reply that he had resisted all entreaty to come, from great fatigue, he uttered a prolonged "Ah," and fell into a reverie.

Hugh was thinking of the vague report he had heard on Wall street, that morning, that the Commercial House of Gregory & Co. was fast tottering toward bankruptcy.

The next morning, at an early hour, Hugh called at Mr. Gregory's counting house, and offered him loans to any amount, to help him through the financial crisis that was upon him. Mr. Gregory had done the same deed years before, for Hugh's father, and he, (Hugh), kindly pressed the favor back upon him, which was accepted with tears of gratitude in the eyes of the panic stricken merchant.

As Clara and Hugh sat at dinner the next day after the ball, discussing the costumes brought out there, she related what Lena had told her of Bertha's streak of economy.

"Is that so, Clara?" he asked. "Was she so self-sacrificing as that? But she looked as sweet as a rose-bud in her dress, if it had been worn three times." Then he told her, in confidence, of the state of Mr. Gregory's affairs, and the reason which had probably deterred Bertha from the outlay of a new dress. "She is a noble girl, Clara, and I'm afraid we couldn't number many like her amongst that gay assembly at Mrs. Langdon's. Surely 'all is not gold that shines.'"

A week after this, the footman at the Gregory's brought a card up to the parlor for "Miss Bertha, and the gentleman is waiting below in the drawing-room."

Bertha glanced at the card and saw the name of "Hugh Ainsley" inscribed thereon.

"Did you say this was for me, John?" she asked, thinking it must have been intended for Lena.

"Yes m'am;" he said "Miss Bertha," replied the servant.

Lena pouted at this; she had thought he had made a mistake, and an angry frown clouded her face as Bertha descended to the drawing-room.

"Was it I you wished to see, Mr. Ainsley?" she asked, after saluting him.

"It was you, yourself. Why? permit me to inquire."

"I thought it might be one of John's blunders, and that sister Lena was the one desired," said Bertha.

"No, Miss Bertha, it was you, with whom I have special business," he said, at the same time watching the sudden enlargement of her blue eyes when he said "business."

"For several years, Miss Bertha, I've been searching in the circle of my acqualntances for a noble, true-hearted woman, to ask to become my wife. I have just been fortunate enough to find her, and have now come to ask her if she will bear my name, and share with me my earthly lot. Bertha, you are the chosen one, and my heart's best, purest affection I lay at your feet. Will you answer me 'yes?'"

"Give me time to think, please, it is so sudden," she stammered, covering her face with her hands to conceal the blushes.

"You shall have three whole months to consider the subject; then I shall demand an unconditional answer," said Hugh, drawing the hands from her face and pressing them to his lips.

In three months Bertha decided to say "yes," and their engagement was announced to the gay world. Another three months and the gay world was invited to their public wedding in church. After much coaxing, Lena was prevailed upon to be Bertha's bridesmaid, but it was a bitter disappointment to stand in that place instead of next to the groom.

In after years she learned that Bertha's "Old Ball-Dress" had turned the scale in favor of her, and won Hugh Ainsley. He reasoned that the daughter who would sacrifice her own desires for the sake of lessening the burden weighing upon the shoulders of her father, could not fail to make a true wife.

THE tin discoveries near Ogden are attracting much attention on account of the immense quantity and richness of the ore. It produces from 37 to 71 per cent. of pure tin.

Excavations at Jerusalem.

Letters recently received at the State Department, giving account of discoveries made in Jerusalem by the English party working under the direction of those who control the "Palestine Exploration Fund," are of much interest. Excavations have now been in progress for nearly three years. In spite of obstacles thrown in the way by the ignorance, stupidity and cunning of the the Orientals; in spite of perils from falling stones and poisonous air, freezing waters and suffocating heat; in spite of the superstitions of Turkish dignitaries, the results thus far reached are satisfactory. In fact, topographical controversies centuries old have been settled by positive discoveries. As an example of the Moslem stupidity which the explorers had to encounter, take the objections of the Pacha of Jerusalem, a well-educated military man, not wanting in brains. He assured Captain Warren that it was unnecessary to dig about the Holy City to settle archæological doubts. Mohammedan traditions were all sufficient, he said. "Sakhra," the sacred rock, lay on the top leaves of a palm tree, from the roots of which sprang all rivers. To pry into such matters, he thought, was a sure precursor of dire calamity. The excavations proceeded, nevertheless.

Jerusalem is built on a ridge of rock which is the backbone of Palestine. It is approached only by rough mountain roads. The position has great natural strength. It is at the present time surrounded by a massive, well-built wall. Five of the city gates are open; five are closed. All of them are ancient.

THE TEMPLES OF SOLOMON AND HEROD.

Upon Mount Moriah there is a large open space, studded with olive and cypress trees, and surrounded with perhaps the finest scenery in the world. In the centre of this area rises Sakhra, the mosque, with its surpassingly beautiful dome. This mosque Christians call the "Holy Sanctuary." Within the same area once stood the temple of Solomon and that erected by Herod. All traces of both disappeared ages ago, and the exact positions occupied by them have for years been fiercely contested points in regard to the topography of Jerusalem. Was Solomon's Temple co-existent with the Sanctuary? Was it confined to a square of six hundred feet in the south-west corner? Or was it placed elsewhere, in what is now the great open space? These questions excavations can only answer. It is certain that the *Stoa Basilica*, built by Herod, stood on the southern wall. More than this we do not yet know.

Within the sanctuary inclosed and under its solid floors it has hitherto been supposed that there were water springs. Such is found not to be the fact, but on the contrary, the whole mount is honeycombed with a series of remarkable rock-hewn cisterns, in which the water, brought by an aqueduct from Solomon's Pools, near Bethlehem, was stored. These cisterns are connected by a system of channels cut out of the rock, so that when one was full, the surplus water ran into the next, until the final overflow was carried off to the Kedron. One of these cisterns has a capacity of two million gallons, and the total number of gallons that could be stored in all the cisterns exceeded ten millions. And yet, with these gigantic means of supplying the city with water, which at no extravagant expense might at any time have been made available, the dependence of the inhabitants for a thousand years has been upon cisterns, which receive the rainfall from the roofs of houses and the gullies of streets.

THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE.

Next to the Sanctuary, in point of interest, is the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, said to contain within its walls the tomb of our Lord. It is situated in what is called the Christian quarter of the town, at a considerable distance from the Sanctuary. The authenticity of the Holy Sepulchre has been the subject of fierce dispute for many ages. The dispute is not settled, though much progress has been made towards its solution by the excavations. At the time of the Crucifixion, it is agreed by all parties, the place of our Lord's burial was outside of the walls. The place now pointed is within them. This has always been explained by the alleged fact that, after Constantine built his "Church of the Resurrection," the town was spread out and surrounded it. Others are certain that the present site must have been always within the limits of the ancient city, and that the sepulchre must be looked for elsewhere. The solution of this difficult question depends upon—first, the existence of an earlier wall surrounding the city; and second, upon its course; if it existed and ran to the east of the alleged place of the sepulchre, the position claimed is doubtless correct; if it ran to the west, the position is certainly wrong. It is significant that up to the present time, in spite of every effort, no portion of the wall has been discovered. The point at which it started and that at which it ended are alike unknown.

ROBINSON'S ARCH.

More than thirty years ago, Professor Edward Robinson believed that he had discovered in Jerusalem traces of the arch of a bridge which led from the temple to Zion. If this was true, it would furnish a key to unlock several archæological difficulties. But the antiquity of the arch was doubted by travelers as erudite as the Professor himself. He nevertheless supported the theory stoutly. It became finally one of the many "mooted questions," and "Robinson's Arch" was one of the curiosities of the Holy City. Whether belonging to the time of Solomon or Justinian; whether the support of a vast viaduct or the entrance to royal cloisters; this jutting out of a few large stones, as if burst from the wall by some heavy shock—the "fragment of the arch" is nothing more than this in appearance—the place has been sought eagerly of late by American and European tourists, in spite of the dissuasions of guides and the dangers of narrow streets. At the convent where tourists from the west generally stop, the inquiry of new comers for "Robinson's Arch" became a subject of constant merriment, and the demand to be taken there always foiled by oriental shrugs and gesticulations was the *bete noir* of muleteers and camel drivers.

The dispute on this point has at last been settled. At no inconsiderable cost, in the face of strong opposition from the Pacha, and with great perseverence, Captain Warren sunk seven shafts in a line east and west across the Tyropœon Valley. He has settled it beyond question that Professor Robinson's conjecture was correct. The bulge in the wall is the fragment of an arch built in the time of Solomon. There exists in the vast masses the remains of a viaduct. They are the fallen *voussoirs* of the arches and the ruins of the piers.—*N. Y. Post.*

Results of Radicalism.

Had there been no radical party there would have been no war. With the advent of that party came terrible disasters from which the country can never recover. We do not here refer so much to the material destruction which ensued, the dreadful loss of life, but to the pernicious principles propagated among the people as a consequence of the demoralization which follows all civil wars. We no longer find that high regard for law, honor and morality which formerly obtained among our public men. Vice no longer wears that "frightful mein" in which it was once clothed. Men in high places hesitate not to sell themselves and influence to carry out the schemes of corrupt plunder "rings." The President himself lends the power of his great office to enrich himself, his family and chosen friends at the expense of the public. Radicalism has proved a blighting disease which is sapping the foundations of public virtue, honesty and patriotism.

In an economic point of view it has proved equally disastrous. It has imposed a burden of taxation upon the people terrible to contemplate, and which must continue to weigh upon and oppress them beyond the present generation. The following figures from the *World* presents the case in a condensed form:

We commenced our public existence in 1792. From that year to 1860 inclusive, a period of sixty-eight years, the people of this country were taxed a net revenue, exclusive of loans, of $1,792,876,338. During these years we paid off the first war debt, went through the war of 1812, the Florida and Mexican wars, bought Louisiana, California and Florida, and handed over the government to the Radicals with a debt amounting to $77,055,077.

This is one picture. Now examine the other.

In April, 1865, the war ceased. The fiscal year commences in July. From July 1865, to July 1871, a period of six years of profound peace, under the sublime financial rule of the Radicals, we raised $2,636,413,978, exclusive of any loans, and are still nearly $2,300,000,000 in debt. Six years of Radical rule during peace has cost the people fifty per cent. more money than during sixty-eight years of their previous national existence.—*Examiner.*

MICROSCOPIC WONDERS.—We recently looked through a microscope at East Liverpool, Ohio, and examined a drop of rain water. In that single drop we counted near a hundred playful little creatures, apparently as large as a common house fly, frolicking and frisking about as merrily as minnows in a meadow brook. Then we reached a book from the shelf, and detected a speck of a white insect hurrying off at a double quick to hide behind a grain of dust; for we'd opened on him by surprise. The little fellow was retreating rapidly; for the shaking of a book-leaf, or even causing as much of a leaf to tremble as would hold a single letter, was to him a commotion equal to a hundred earthquakes. But we pursued him, excited as he was, until we chased him on to a bar of polished brass, and, by a strange stratagem, drove him to an intrenchment on the bar. He was smaller than the dot of an i in your pocket Bible. But we pressed him into our service, a prisoner in his house of brass, and snugly covered by a glass slide until we reviewed him beneath the microscope. His prison was less roomy than the eye of a fine cambric needle, yet, under the microscope, his liberty as well as his body was greatly enlarged. The creature, to the naked eye so small, was now large as a bee, and white as snow, with limbs of perfect symmetery and proportion. We were affected by his efforts to be free. He hurried from side to side of his prison house and tried to force the walls apart. Through his clear transparent flesh could be seen the beating of his heart and the purple veins of his blood. His movements were restless and pitiful as those of a newly caged bird. If we could, by some magnifier of sound have heard his voice, and understood his language, doubtless it would have been a plaintive cry for liberty. How wonderful are the works of the Almighty Hand!

THE THREE WISHES.—I asked a student what three things he most desired. He said: "Give me books, health, and quiet, and I care for nothing more." I asked a miser, and he cried, "Money—money—money." I asked a pauper, and he faintly said, "Bread—bread—bread!" I asked a drunkard, and he called loudly for strong drink. I asked the multitude around me, and they lifted up a confused cry in which I heard the words: "Wealth, fame and pleasure." I asked a poor man who had long borne the character of an experienced Christian. He replied that all his wishes might be met in Christ. He spoke seriously, and I asked him to explain. He said: "I greatly desire these three things—first, that I may be found in Christ; secondly, that I may be *like* Christ; thirdly, that I may be *with* Christ." I have thought much of his answer, and the more I think of it the wiser it seems to be.

TAN AND SUNBURN.—Ladies who have spent the summer in the country and at the seaside, may be glad to know of some simple remedies for tan and sunburn. When the face is burnt by exposure, it is best to bathe it with a little cold cream; this simple and pleasant wash will remove the discoloration and swelling as if by magic, and leave the skin cool and smooth. To prevent tan and sunburn, take the juice of a fresh lemon and rub it in thoroughly before going into the open air, allowing it to dry on the face; at night dust a little oatmeal upon the skin, and next morning, after washing it off, apply a little cold cream or buttermilk. Such a simple and harmless treatment will be found much more effectual than the use of cosmetics, which close up the pores, and dry and roughen the finest complexion in a frightful way and in a short time.

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A Test of Friendship.

One of the first settlers in Western New York was Judge W——, who established himself at Whitestone, about four miles from Utica. He brought his family with him, among whom was a widowed daughter with only one child—a fine boy only four years old. The country around was an unbroken forest, and this was the domain of the savage tribes.

Judge W—— saw the necessity of keeping on good terms with the Indians, for he was nearly alone, and was completely at their mercy. Accordingly he took every opportunity to assure them of his kindly feeling, and to secure their good will in return. Several of the chiefs came to see him, and all appeared pacified. But there was one thing that troubled him: an aged chief of the Oneida tribe, and one of great influence, who resided at a distance of a dozen miles, had not been to see him, nor could he ascertain the views and feelings of the sachem in respect to his settlement in that region. At last he sent him a message, and the answer was that the chief would visit him on the morrow.

True to his appointment the sachem came. Judge W—— received him with marks of respect, and introduced his wife, his daughter and her little boy. The interview that followed was interesting. Upon its result the Judge was convinced that his security might depend, and he was therefore exceedingly anxious to make a favorable impression on the distinguished chief. He expressed his desire to settle in the country; to live on terms of amity and goodfellowship with the Indians, and to be useful to them by introducing among them the arts of civilization.

The chief heard him out, and then said: "Brother you ask much and you promise much. What pledge can you give of your faith? The white man's word may be good for the white man, yet it is but wind when spoken to the Indian!"

"I have put my life in your hands," said the Judge; "is not that an evidence of my good intentions? I have placed confidence in the Indian, and will not believe that he will abuse or betray the trust that is thus reposed!"

"So far, so well," replied the chief; "the Indian will repay confidence with confidence; if you will trust him he will trust you. Let this boy go with me to my wigwam—I will bring him back in three days with my answer!"

If an arrow had pierced the bosom of the mother she could not have felt a deeper pang than went to her heart as the Indian made this proposal. She sprang forward, and, running to the boy, who stood at the side of the chief, looking into his face with pleased wonder and admiration, she encircled him in her arms, and, pressing him to her bosom, was about to fly from the room. A gloomy and ominous frown came over the sachem's brow, but he did not speak. But not so with the Judge. He knew that the success of their enterprise, the lives of his family depended on the decision of a moment.

"Stay, stay, my daughter," he said, "bring back the boy, I beseech you. He is not more to you than to me. I would not risk a hair of his head. But my child, he must go with the chief. God will watch over him. He will be as safe in the sachem's wigwam as beneath our own roof."

The agonized mother hesitated a moment and then slowly returned, placed the boy on the knee of the chief, and kneeling at his feet, burst into a flow of tears. The gloom passed from the sachem's brow. He rose and departed.

I shall not attempt to describe the agony of the mother for the ensuing days. She was agitated by contending hopes and fears. In the night she woke from sleep seeming to hear the screams of her child calling on its mother for help. But the time wore away slowly, and the third day came. How slowly did the hours pass. The morning waned away; noon arrived; yet the sachem came not. There was a gloom over the whole household. The mother was pale and silent. Judge W—— walked the floor to and fro, going every few minutes to the door, and looking through the opening in the forest toward the sachem's abode.

At last the rays of the setting sun were thrown upon the trees around, and the eagle feathers of the chief were seen dancing above the bushes in the distance. He advanced rapidly—and the little boy was at his side. He was gaily attired as a young chief—his feet being dressed in moccasins, a fine beaver skin on his shoulders and eagle feathers stuck in his hair. He was in excellent spirits, and so proud was he of his honors that he seemed about two inches taller than he was before. He was soon in his mother's arms, and in that brief minute she seemed to pass from death to life. It was a happy meeting—too happy for me to describe.

"The white man has conquered," said the sachem; "hereafter let us be friends. You have trusted an Indian; he will repay you with confidence and friendship."

He was as good as his word; and Judge W—— lived for many years at peace with the Indian tribes, and succeeded in laying the foundation of a flourishing and prosperous community.

A MULE 1,000 FEET UNDERGROUND. The Belcher mine, says the Gold Hill *News* of September 29th, has been developed in the new strike, for a month past, by crossing the Crown Point, Kentuck and Yellow Jacket ground, on the 1,000-foot level, to the shaft of the Yellow Jacket, where the ore is raised to the surface. The track grade over the Crown Point, however, has been almost too heavy for men to push the loaded cars, and the work wore out too many men. So Hank Smith, the foreman, conceived the idea the other day to buy a couple of good stout mules, one for each "shift" of the workmen, and introduce them into the mine to draw the carts over the heavy grade. One of them was lowered down through the Jacket shaft last evening at nine o'clock, being lashed well and swung off under one of the cages. This new and interesting miner kept entirely quiet and docile while hanging over the yawning abyss of 1,000 feet, and he arrived safe and sound on the platform below, where he was loosened from his ropes, and seemed to rather like the situation, being not at all mulish, and he was immediately treated to a good feed of barley and hay. This animal is 1,000 feet from daylight, down in the bowels of the dark earth—perhaps the only one in America so far away from grass. The other mule is to be taken down in a day or two.

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COUNTY AND TOWN OFFICIAL PAPER.

WOODLAND, CAL.:

Saturday, October 21st, 1871.

THE DESTROYER CHECKED.—It is said that the cholera is no longer spreading in any part of Europe, and we trust the report will prove true.

YUBA COUNTY.—By the *Standard* we learn that the Republican ticket generally was elected in Yuba county, but that Bliss, (Democrat), was elected County Judge by a small majority.

ANOTHER DEMOCRATIC VICTORY.—The municipal election in Savannah, Ga., on the 9th inst., resulted in the election of Col. John Screven, the Democratic candidate for Mayor, by over 2,000 majority.

CONTESTING.—The defeated Democratic candidates in Solano county have commenced suit to set aside the election returns of the Vallejo precincts for informality concerning ballots. The case is set for hearing Oct. 30th.

THIRTY THOUSAND MAJORITY!—A telegram received at Washington, October 9th, from the Chairman of the Democratic Central Committee of Texas, A. S. Walker, says the Democrats carried every Congressional District, and the State by probably thirty thousand majority.

HODGE, THE DEFAULTER.—At last a Federal defaulter has been punished. Paymaster Hodge who robbed the Government of upwards of half a million dollars, has been sentenced to ten years imprisonment—the first punishment we have heard of. Does any one believe he will serve a year?

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UNKIND EXPOSURE.—The San Diego *Union*, Republican, says Collector Murphy of New York is "one of the most infamous rascals who ever held Federal office under any Administration." This is no doubt every word true, but then he is a Radical office-holder, and it is so unusual to find anything like it in a Republican paper that it astonishes people. Good for the San Diego *Union*.

ANOTHER SPECIMEN BALLOT.—We have been shown another specimen ballot which the men in the employ of the U. S. Government at Vallejo were compelled to vote at the late election. It is printed in two lines of the finest type on a strip of thin cardboard three-sixteenths of an inch wide and three and a half inches long, colored on the back. This is what the Radicals call a free exercise of the ballot.

A SEASON OF CONFLAGRATIONS.—Elsewhere we publish a telegraphed account of a fearful fire which swept over and destroyed the town of Peshtego, in Wisconsin, and killed some 800 persons, and another which occurred on the east shore of Green Bay where as many more lives were lost. The value of property destroyed at Chicago, in Wisconsin, Michigan and other parts of the country the present season is incalculable.

SEMI-MONTHLY TRIPS.—The President of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company informs the editor of the *Call* that the Company will begin a semi-monthly trans-Pacific line between San Francisco, Japan and China, on the 15th of May, 1872, with regular departures thereafter from San Francisco on the 1st and 15th of every month. This will increase the Mongolian immigration to this country unless there is some way devised for checking it. With open ports and unrestricted Chinese importation and immigration, the Pacific Coast will in a few years swarm with these oriental locusts.

CHICAGO.—The people are becoming calm after their fearful disaster, and arrangements are being made for rebuilding in many parts of the burnt district. One entire block is under contract. Many first-class buildings will immediately be constructed, and we predict that it will not take the goahead people of Chicago near as long to reconstruct that city as it has the Radical party to "reconstruct" some of the Southern States. Money and provisions have been forwarded to the suffering and destitute people without stint. The leading Insurance Companies are adjusting their losses. Thousands of those burned out have left the city.

TEXAS REDEEMED.—An election for four Members of Congress was held in Texas on the 8th inst. So far as we have seen, says the *Examiner*, not one line touching the same has been telegraphed to this State. In the New New York *World* of the 9th, and in the Washington papers of the same date, we find the announcement of a clean sweep of the State by the Democracy. The following four Democratic Congressmen have been elected in the Districts numbered as the names are given: William S. Herndon, John C. Conner, B. C. Giddings and John Hancock. This is a remarkable victory considering the extraordinary means taken to carry the State by the Radicals. We may next hear that Pennsylvania has gone Democratic, as the telegraph has been very reticent on that subject for some days.

THE RESULT.

The Judicial election is over, and the Democracy are beaten in the State beyond doubt. By many this was expected, more especially since the general election went as it did. Like all good citizens, we shall endeavor to acquiesce cheerfully, and like many good and true Democrats, (but not like *all* calling themselves such,) we retire from the contest with the consciousness of having faithfully performed our duty as we understood it, from first to last, throughout both campaigns. But, for the life of us, we cannot see what could posess Democrats to vote for Republican candidates — what they could expect to gain by such a course. Still, many life-long Democrats did so. Ask them the reason, and they will evade an answer or give some other than the real one in most instances. It was not because the candidates on the Democratic ticket were not good and competent men—as good if not better than those of the Republicans. It was not because they thought less of Democratic principles than formerly, nor that they liked those of our opponents better. Nor was it that the Democratic party, like Tammany, has so long had control that it has become corrupt. It was for none of these reasons. But there were reasons for dissatisfaction. They began at the County Convention, if not indeed before. At that time the split, if we may so term it, commenced, and the breach was further opened by, and kept constantly widening after the State Convention up to the time of the general election. Policy was not sufficiently considered in making nominations for county officers to insure success. Against our candidates as men, little or nothing derogatory could be said. It is well known, too, that the apportionment of the candidatates for the county officers to different parts of the county was very badly managed, and that alone lost us the County Clerk. This one mistake did more to demoralize the Democracy of Yolo county than anything else. Our opponents were not slow to observe this and of course took advantage of that and other salient points in the nomination of their candidate for Clerk, and nominated Mr. Schindler, a popular German, by which they won many German Democratic votes. And doubtless these same German Democrats (being now known by the Republicans) were induced to vote the Republican ticket at the Judicial election because Bolander's name was upon it. How those men feel now, who call themselves Democrats and voted the Republican ticket, we can only guess.

We have given the returns so far as received throughout the county, and advise our readers to ponder them well. Therein lies a lesson to Democrats—one that will bear a great deal of study. And it is our duty as Democrats, individually, to study them well and see if we can divine the causes that have brought about so unfavorable a showing, in order that we may contribute our individual mites to prevent a recurrence of the causes which have produced so disastrous a result. We have pointed out some of the causes, and know there were others which ought not to have existed. Let us burnish up our armor, see that our weapons are of the right metal, keep our powder dry and prepare for the big Presidential fight to take place next year.

JUNKETING EXTRAORDINARY.—A Washington dispatch to the New York *Tribune* says: "The Treasury Department continues to send a detachment of three clerks to London with each installment of the new bonds that goes out to the syndicate. Eighteen of these fortunate gentlemen are now abroad enjoying themselves at government expense, and four more detachments are to go, making thirty clerks in all. Their passage and all other traveling expenses are paid, and they are allowed to be absent for periods of six weeks each, giving them time to make a little trip on the continent." The *Tribune* adds editorially: "The Treasury, Post-office, Government Architect's Office, and nearly every other public department has each in turn furnished recruits to the lucky army of American tourists in Europe. Once it was thought to be a fine thing to be a city pastor with a sore throat which nothing but European air could cure, but the modest clergymen are altogether outnumbered by traveling governmen clerks."

COUNT YOLO OUT.—The subjoined item is from the Yreka *Union* of Oct. 14th:

The *Examiner* is assured by undoubted authority that the Railroad Company has in its employ in this State not less than 8,000 men, the majority of whom voted at the recent election, in the counties of Sacramento, Yolo, San Francisco and Alameda. It is not singular that those counties went overwhelmingly Republican.

The *Examiner* and *Union* both ought to have known better than to include Yolo among the "overwhelmingly Republican" counties, for we exchange with them and have published the official returns showing that in Yolo the Democratic State ticket was over sixty ahead with nearly all the Democratic county ticket. We lost our Representative, to be sure, through outside influences of some kind brought to bear in favor of his opponent; but the vote on the State ticket showed that the Democracy had a majority of over 60 in the county, as above stated.

THE great tidal wave which was announced to appear for one day only on the 6th inst. along the coast of Florida, and inundate everything as far in the interior as New Orleans, failed to connect—missed the cars, lost its ticket, or something of the sort—and its visit has been postponed until a rise in the water.

A Visit to Stockton.

[From a Traveling Correspondent.]

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:—Stepping on board the cars at Sacramento one day, I was soon hurried away over dry and dusty plains, and past several small stations to the the city of Stockton. The Yosemite House at this place is a very nicely kept hotel, with clean and comfortable rooms, and a host as obliging as one could wish. I had long felt a desire to visit the Asylum for Insane persons established here, and now resolved to gratify that desire. Accordingly I made my wishes known to Dr. Shurtliff, as, also, that I proposed to inform the public, through the medium of the press, of all that I saw. The Doctor (who by the way is a gentleman of exceedingly agreeable address, with a countenance expressive of so much genuine sympathy and kindness of heart that he could not fail to win the confidence of all who approached him,) kindly consented to show me through the entire building appropriated to the use of his female patients.

The structure consists of one long main building with a wing at either end extending backwark, and leaving an open court in the center enclosed on three sides, the fourth being open. The interior arrangement is, for the most part, in the form of long and wide halls, with apartments on each side for the use of the patients and attendants, all so scrupulously clean that I have seldom seen anything like it, while the beds looking so white, so cool and so delicious, suggested to my mind that many of the patients had never enjoyed such comfortable accommodations before in their lives. The Doctor seems to take a fatherly interest in his patients, which they seem to appreciate, for wherever we went they gathered around him like children around a tender parent, sometimes almost barring his egress from the room.

The patients in the institution are divided into two classes, and detained in separate wards, according as the violence of their malady will permit, the more violent being kept constantly guarded, while those that are convalescing are allowed a certain amount of liberty. On an upper floor in one wing of the building is situated the Chapel, in which Divine service is held on Sundays. During the remainder of the week it is used as a recreation room, the crowded state of the building necessitating that it be used for both purposes.

The kitchen, which is a large and spacious room on the first floor, is also in this wing. The food, when cooked, is placed on dumb-waiters, which descend to the basement where a small car is in readiness to convey it, by means of a narrow railway, running underneath the entire building, to the various localities where it is again hoisted by means of a similar apparatus to the different dining halls above. The patients appear to be well cared for; I doubt if it would be possible for them to receive more care with the means at Dr. Shurtliff's command. Cleanliness and comfort are apparent everywhere. There seems nothing but liberty to be desired, and the same may be said of the building appropriated to the use of the male patients.

The grounds surrounding both buildings are plentifully interspersed with trees, shrubs and flowers. Many of the patients are allowed to go outside, under the care of a watchful attendant, and amuse themselves by cultivating the shrubs and flowers. There are at the present time about three hundred females and about eight hundred males in the institution. Of this number about forty per cent. are discharged cured; the balance remain shut up within its narrow confines till death terminates their unfortunate existence.

Leaving the Asylum, I next proceeded to call on Mrs. Saviers, at the City Prison. I found her in passably good health, though she has been very sick at one time since her imprisonment. She appears to be about thirty-five years of age, of medium height, rather squarely built, with deep blue eyes and dark brown hair cut short and piled in curls on the top of her head, something as I have seen it worn by men occasionally. There is nothing either "fast" or desperate in her appearance; on the contrary I should judge her to be a woman of an intensely affectionate and domestic disposition. She is not a woman of weak nerves, yet when she came to speak of her domestic troubles she was unable to conceal her suffering, her eyes filled with tears and every nerve and muscle in her face quivered with suppressed emotion. She informed me that her father resides at Placerville, and is upwards of seventy years of age, and from others who are acquainted with her family, I learn that they are very respectable people.

Passing from "grave to gay" we are led to refer to the Sacramento *Union*. That enterprising paper recently electrified its readers by the announcement, as an item of news, that some Californian had engaged in "raising cotton." Pshaw, *Union*, give us something newer than that. Why, every man in the State has been engaged in that business, to a greater or less extent, for years past. Try again, *Union*. CATO.

BLOWN DOWN.—During the norther of last week, the new and elegant Presbyterian Church near Mills' Institute, in Alameda county, was blown down, and is a total loss. In this region the wind was very high, and blew down an unfinished barn of Mr. C. Nelson, about three miles north of town. We learn that some live stock, carriages, etc., in the barn were uninjured. Aside from fences and trees having suffered somewhat, that is the only damage we have heard of in this vicinity resulting from the gale.

The Wisconsin Fires—1,500 People Burned to Death.

CHICAGO, October 15.—Latest reports from the terrible fires in Northern Wisconsin and Michigan represent the loss of life as being fearful. Some 700 to 800 dead bodies had already been recovered, and it is believed that the number will reach fully 1,000, and the wounded fully 200. This comprises fully three-quarters of the population of the districts over which the fire raged.

MILWAUKEE, October 15.—Later accounts from Northern Wisconsin confirm all previous reports and rumors. The loss of life in the neighborhood of the burned village of Peshtego will reach over 1,200. Fifteen per cent. of those injured cannot recover. The fire tornado was heard at a distance like the roaring of the sea. Balls of fire were soon observed to fall like meteors in different parts of the town, igniting whatever they touched. People rushed with their children in their arms for a place of safety, but the storm of fire was upon them and enveloped them in the flames, smoke and cinders, and those that were not able to reach the river were suffocated and roasted alive. This terrible scene happened on Sunday night, the 8th of October; the same evening as the great Chicago horror.

A member of the Relief Committee, sent from Milwaukee with supplies, says the only survivors were those who were fortunate enough to reach water, many throwing themselves into millponds and clinging to floating logs. A number of these were drowned by being thrown from the logs by the maddened horses and cattle that rushed into the water. The fiery cyclone swept over a tract of country eight or ten miles wide. Every building, fence, and all the timber was licked up clean by the tongue of fire.

The town of Peshtego, numbered two thousand souls, one-third of whom perished on that fearful night. Reports from the east shore of Green Bay place the loss of life fully as high as at Peshtego. The same account states that the immediate wants of the people are supplied, but large amounts of provisions and clothing will be required for the coming Winter.

MILWAUKEE, October 15.—Mayor Ludington, of this city, publishes the following appeal for aid: The calamities that have befallen our State and some of our neighboring States are truly appalling. Over 1,500 men, women and children have been burned to death in Wisconsin alone. Their businesses, houses and farms, to a large extent, are entirely destroyed, the very soil having been burned and destroyed with all their Autumn and root crops. They are utterly destitute, and will require full support at least till another season. Seven counties in our own State are thus in great part utterly desolated. Whole regions of country in Western Michigan are in the same condition, and these fires are still raging and destroying. Milwaukee is doing all she can. By her close neighborhood to Chicago she was enabled to send large quantities of supplies into that devastated city during the progress of the fire, feeding her firemen and exhausted citizens. Vast numbers of Chicago sufferers are now filling our houses and public buildings, and we have ministered to their necessities. We have supplied hundreds of tons of provisions and clothing and stores and other needful articles to Chicago, to northern Wisconsin and western Michigan. We are doing our best, but the amount of suffering in our State is beyond our power alone to assuage. We appeal to the public for aid. We will be the dispensers of supplies to sufferers in Wisconsin and western Michigan, and have made every necessary arrangement to accomplish these purposes with economy and effect. All contributions in money may be sent to Alexander Mitchell, banker. Contributions of food, clothing, bedding and other necessary supplies, may be directed to Harrison Ludington, Mayor.

(Signed), HARRISON LUDINGTON.

GRAND LODGE OF MASONS.—The twenty-second annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons closed at San Francisco on Saturday evening. The following is the list of newly elected officers: Leonidas E. Pratt, Grand Master; Charles L. Wiggins Deputy Grand Master; Benjamin H. Freeman, Senior Grand Warden; George C. Perkins, Junior Grand Warden; James Laidley, Grand Treasurer; Alex. G. Abell, Grand Secretary; Edward W. McKinstry, Grand Orator; Wm. H. Hill, Grand Chaplain; John W. Shaeffer, Grand Lecturer; Charles L. Pond, Grand Marshal; Benjamin Akerly, Grand Bible Bearer; Richard W. Brett, Grand Standard Bearer; Stephen Wing, Senior Grand Deacon; Carlisle S. Abbott, Junior Grand Deacon; Eben D. Perkins and Wm. A. Bergole, Grand Stewards; Samuel D. Mayer, Grand Organist; Samuel H. H. Gervish, Pursuviant; James Oglesby, Grand Tyler.

MICHIGAN FIRES.—A dispatch from Detroit dated October 12th, gives a startling account of the ravages of the fiery element in that State. The telegram says: "The news from St. Clair and Huron counties, in this State, is of the most distressing character. All that portion of the State east of Saginaw and north to a point forty miles above Port Huron has been completely swept by fire; a number of lives have been lost. The villages of Forestville, White Rock, South Beach and Huron City are entirely destroyed. Rock Falls and Fort Hope are partially burned. Nothing has yet been heard from Port Austin or Port Crescent, but it is hardly possible that they have escaped."

LOCAL PAPERS.—An exchange aptly and truthfully says of the local papers: "They enhance the value of property; they call attention to locality; they benefit particularly merchants and real estate owners thrice the amount yearly they pay for their support. There is nothing that would do a town more harm than to be without its newspaper. You need not think the publisher of a newspaper can run it for your benefit, and pay the expenses out of his own pocket. Give your paper a good advertising patronage and a respectable subscription list and you may have such a paper as you wish."

W. G. ENGLISH, the wealthiest man of Indianapolis, Indiana, worth at least $1,000,000, opened his heart and subscribed the sum of one dollar, and that in cash, for the sufferers by the great fire in Chicago.

CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATIVE POSITIONS.—The following is a list of candidates for legislative positions so far as heard from:

President pro tem. of Senate—W. W. Pendegast of Napa, James T. Farley of Amador, William Minis of Yolo, William Irwin of Siskiyou, Thomas Beck of Monterey, and Thomas Keyes of Stanislaus.

Secretary of Senate—Joseph Roberts, Jr., of Alameda, Scott Tidball of San Francisco, Robert Ferrall of Sonoma, Ham. C Harrison and Cameron H. King of Sacramento.

Sergeant-at-Arms of Senate—J. W. Hawkins of Solono, Nat. Boice and Grove L. Johnson of Sacramento.

As the Democrats have a majority in the Senate, the officers to be elected will be of that political faith. In the Assembly Republicans will be elected.

Speaker of the Assembly—C. G. W. French and Dr. O. Harvey of Sacramento, Thomas B. Shannon of San Francisco, W. W. Stillwagon of Napa, E. H. Pardee of Alameda.

Clerk of the Assembly—M. D. Boruck of San Francisco, J. J. Owen of Santa Clara.

Speaker pro tem.—P. J. Hopper of Sacramento, H. R. Reed and David Meeker of San Francisco.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Lewis Korn of Sacramento, T. W. Chamberlain of Solano, A. J. Rhoads and William M. Siddons of Sacramento, Benj. Dore of San Francisco, Captain Harris of San Francisco.

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Ladies and Gents Kid Gloves,

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In Great Variety,

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In this department we have opened full lines

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Life Assurance Company,

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Gross Assets, Jan. 1st, 1870,

$10.510.824!

No. of Policies Issued in 1869, 13.072.

AMOUNT INSURED IN 1869, $50.492.941.

Insures at as LOW RATES as are consistent with safety to the Company and the assured.

The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States was organized in 1859, with assets amounting to $120,772, and issued in that year 277 policies. In 1869, the number of policies issued was 13,073; amount insured, $50,502,941; total assets Jan. 1st, 1870, $10,510,824.

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(Late of Knight's Landing,)

SURVEYOR,

Civil Engineer and Draughtsman,

HAS LOCATED IN WOODLAND,

And proposes to compile for publication a complete

Map of Yolo County,

Showing the County Roads, Boundaries of Swamp and Overflowed Lands, Land Grants, etc. The map will be lithographed and mounted on rollers in the best style. Every owner or claimant of a piece of land can, by sending a description of their land, naming the subdivision by Township, Section or Quarter Section, and One Dollar, have their names inserted in their tract.

Parties desirous of advertising can have engravings of buildings or business cards printed on the margin of the map, on reasonable terms.

Five Hundred Copies

Will be printed and sold to subscribers at $3 50 per copy. The map will be on a large scale—about 4 by 4½ feet. Office in the Court House. Surveys made in any part of the county. ja28-tf

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Town Property, Homesteads and Farms for Sale.

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Building and Fencing Lumber,

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—ALSO—

Fence Posts,
Shakes,
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Doors,
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A New Favorite in California.

The Domestic Sewing Machine has just been introduced into this State, and is now offered to the public. It makes the Shuttle or Lock Stitch, alike on both sides, uses a straight needle, and its range of work is from the heaviest to the most delicate fabric, sewing every kind perfectly. It has a self-adjusting tension, which requires no alteration in changing the thread, or in sewing different thicknesses. In simplicity and durability it is unequaled. One great advantage in this machine is, that it will sew over thick seams without difficulty.

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M. W. HOWELL,
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General Agent for California.

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Life Insurance Company,

Of New York.

MUTUAL.

Dividends Annual.

R. R. DARBY, D. M. BURNS, Woodland,
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Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils,

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Together with every article usually found in a first-class Drug Store, which will be sold at Sacramento prices.

Physicians' Prescriptions Carefully Compounded.
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First street, (east side) opposite F. S. Freeman's store, near Capital Hotel.

SCHLUER & SIEBER

Have opened a Bakery in Woodland, and will keep on hand a fresh supply of BREAD, PIES CAKES, etc., etc.

Crackers, of All Kinds,

Wholesale and retail. BOSTON BROWN BREAD hot every Sunday morning, delivered if desired. ☞ Balls and parties supplied on short notice. ☜ The patronage of the public is most respectfully solicited. au19-3m

TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1871.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the State and County Taxes for the year 1871 are now due and payable, and that the law in regard to their collection will be strictly enforced. I will attend at the following places in the respective Townships on the days named, and will be prepared to receive the Taxes and give receipts therefor to all who may apply, and on all other days from September 20th to November 20th inclusive, at my office in Woodland:

Buckeye—At Harling & Welch's Store, on Tuesday, October 10th.

Cottonwood—At Haines' Store, on Wednesday, October 11th.

Capay—At Lang's Store, on Thursday, October 12th.

Fairview—At the School House, on Friday, October 13th.

North Grafton—At Earl's Store, on Saturday, October 14th.

West Grafton—At Weyand's Store, on Monday, October 16th.

Knight's Landing—At Hoyt's Hotel, on Tuesday, October 17th.

Cacheville—At Campbell's Hotel, on Thursday, October 19th.

North Putah (Davisville)—At Judge Oneal's Office, on Friday, October 20th, and Saturday, October 21st.

Washington—At Green's Hotel, on Monday, October 23d.

Merritt's—At the Brick School House, on Tuesday, October 24th.

Fremont—At Charleston Postoffice, Wednesday, October 25th.

☞ All Taxes remaining unpaid after the THIRD MONDAY IN NOVEMBER become delinquent and subject to the addition of percentage, costs, etc.

J. P. BULLOCK, Sheriff.

And Ex-officio Tax Collector of Yolo County.
Woodland, September 20th, 1871. se30-td

Justice's Summons.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Yolo, Putah Township, ss: In Justice's Court, before JAMES ONEAL, Justice of the Peace in and for Yolo County aforesaid.

The People of the State of California, to CHARLES GLOCKLER, Greeting:—You are hereby summoned to appear before the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Township of Putah, and County of Yolo, within ten days from service of this Summons, to answer unto the complaint of J. F. HOUGHTON, who sues to recover from you the sum of one hundred and twenty-three dollars and seventy-three cents ($123 73), gold coin, with interest thereon at one and one-half per cent. per month from April 1st, A. D. 1871, due as alleged upon a note of hand given by you to plaintiff for said amount June 6th, 1871, as fully set forth in a complaint on file in my office. And if you fail to appear and answer, the plaintiff then and there will take judgment against you for the aforesaid amount, together with costs and damages.

Given under my hand in Davisville, this eleventh day of October, A. D. 1871.

JAMES ONEAL,
oc14-3t Justice of the Peace.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of James Griffin, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, Administratrix of said estate, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned, at her residence, about four miles below Washington, in Yolo county, or to J. C. BALL, her Attorney, at his office in Woodland. ANNE E. GRIFFIN,
oc14-5t Administratrix.

A GOOD CHANCE

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GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE,

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PROPRIETORS.

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS

OF ALL KINDS:

FRESH BUTTER,
SUGARS, TEAS,
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SHELL COCOA, &c, &c.

Good fresh Cider Vinegar kept constantly on hand.

KEROSENE OIL,
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CIGARS, TOBACCO,
SYRUPS of the finest kind.

CHEESE,
PICKLES,
FLOUR,
CHOCOLATE,
SOAPS, and a variety of other articles.

FRUITS

Will be brought fresh from Mrs. Weed's Orchard on the Sacramento River, which will be sold at the Lowest Prices.

Country Produce!

Highest market price paid in Cash or Trade for Eggs and Butter.

Will keep constantly on hand Fresh Vegetables of all kinds. ☞ Store under Masonic Hall. When you want to buy your Groceries enquire for STAMP & FRIGGENS' Store, where we are on hand to wait on our friends with pleasure.

All goods will be delivered free of charge within the Town limits.

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WOODLAND

FISH MARKET

—AND—

Provision Store,

Washington Block, Main street.

J. G. SCHWALM,

Dealer in all kinds of

GROCERIES:

Tea,
Coffee,
Sugar,
Butter,
Cheese,
Eggs,
Ham,
Bacon,
Pork,

DUTCH HERRINGS, RUSSIAN CAVIAR, &c.

Preserved Fruits,

Of every description. Also, the Choicest BRANDIES, WINES, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS.

Depot of National Brewery.

LAGER BEER 15 cts. per Bottle, 15 cts. per Quart, and 5 cts. per Glass.

A variety of FRESH FISH every Thursday.
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INSURANCE CARD.

I am pleased to announce to the Yolo county patrons of the

OLD PHŒNIX INSURANCE CO.

of Hartford, Connecticut, that the Company's losses by the great Chicago fire will be promptly paid in full out of surplus assets, leaving the PHŒNIX' CAPITAL STOCK UNIMPAIRED and sufficient accumulations with which to guarantee for the future, as in the past, undoubted and genuine indemnity, strengthened by prudence and conservative management.

GEO. D. FISKE, Resident Agent,
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The cheapest home for the sick on the Pacific coast. Treatment, Board and Lodging by the month, if paid in advance $40, by the week $12. All diseases are successfully treated here, and patients get well in half the time that they could at home and for two-thirds less cost. CONSULTATIONS, VERBAL OR BY LETTER, FREE. For visits to the sick in the country within twenty-five miles of Sacramento, $10. A separate department for ladies, under the care of Mrs. Burns.

jy15-3m J. A. BURNS, Physician.

If you want a Locket, Belt Buckle, Pin, or Ear Drops, call on
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THE YOLO DEMOCRAT.

Agents for the Yolo Democrat.

L. SAMUEL, No. 70 J street, is authorized to solicit advertisements and subscriptions for this paper in Sacramento.

THOMAS BOYCE, L. P. FISHER, BEAN & Co., and W. B. LAKE are authorized agents of this paper at San Francisco.

HUDSON & MENET, 41 Park Row, and Geo. P. Rowell & Co., 41 Park Row, are our authorized agents in New York.

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M. R. DARBY.....Cottonwood.
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J. W. SNOWBALL.....Knight's Landing.
A. J. HALE.....Cacheville.
JUDGE J. O'NEAL.....Davisville.
W. M. GREEN.....Washington.

Town and County Matters.

The Vote of Yolo County.

We give the majority on County Judge in all the precincts, and the vote for the two candidates in all except Washington, North Putah and Cacheville, which we have been unable to obtain. The vote on the other candidates will vary somewhat from these figures, but not materially. Next week we shall doubtless be able to give the vote of the county complete.

	Roberts, D.	Hutton, R.	Maj.
Woodland	253	344	8
Washington	—	—	26
Merritt	13	39	26
S. Putah	36	18	18
N. Putah	—	—	2
Buckeye	98	53	41
E. Cottonwood	81	81	tie
W Cottonwood	36	55	19
N. Grafton	25	40	15
W. Grafton	52	51	1
Fairview	11	48	37
E. Grafton	86	80	6
Fremont	7	15	8
Cacheville	—	—	61

Hutton's majority foots up 120.

VOTE OF WOODLAND PRECINCT.—Below we give the vote of Woodland, complete, at the Judicial election—the only precinct in the county from which we have the full returns.

DEMOCRATS.

Jackson Temple	253
S. S. Wright	254
O. P. Fitzgerald	240
Ed. Roberts	252
J. H. Thompson	300
A. J. Hall	240

REPUBLICANS.

A. C. Niles	245
J. L. Rhoades	242
Henry N. Bolander	256
J. A. Hutton	244
S. N. Merring	244
O. B. Westcott	131

NARROW ESCAPE.—The other day, just as the afternoon train was crossing Main street and getting under pretty good headway, a little girl of five or six years was observed near the track. Watchful eyes were upon her fearing that she might attempt to cross the track before the train came up. Their fears were not without foundation, and but for the presence of mind of Judge Henry, who at the risk of his own life snatched her from the track just as the train thundered along, barely escaping, the child would have been killed.

CURIOSITY.—J. D. Stephens, President of the Bank of Woodland, has in his cabinet of curiosities a pair of deer's antlers with a very peculiar addition to the usual shape. Out of the back side of the left horn and just above the roots juts an extra arm, which extends backward in an angular direction and then branches into two prongs which point downward. This fork is in a direct line with the head, and it had evidently rested upon the neck of the deer. It is worth seeing.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—On Tuesday last a Physician was summoned to attend Eli Hays, who resides on Willow Slough, about five miles southwest from Woodland, and who had by some means got his nose split entirely open, as though cut with a hatchet. He was insensible from the effects of the wound, and reduced from loss of blood. We learn that he is now improving, his reason is gradually returning and the wounds slowly healing.

AMPUTATION.—A man named Joseph Nance fell from a building upon which he was working in Davisville somewhere about a year ago and fractured the bones of his left leg. Not having been properly set at the time, it did not get well, and recently he was brought to the County Hospital for treatment. On Wednesday last the physicians found it necessary to amputate the leg below the knee on account of the bone decaying and no possibility of recovery without amputation.

ROLL OF HONOR.—Following is the Roll of Honor of Woodland Public School, intermediate grade, for the month ending October 13th: Emma Krellenberg, 96½; Ella Tilly, 95; Ella Grover, 94½; Albert Brown, 92½; Lena Peterson, 91½; Frances Thompson, 90; Alice Johnston, 90; Katie Andrews, 88½; Nellie Beach, 88½; Charles Pendegast, 87; John Hevel, 83.

MRS. M. C. ROSBORO', Teacher.

FATAL SHOOTING AFFRAY.—An affray occurred on Wednesday evening last at a saloon about four miles west of the Ohio House, between Marsh Glascock and Wm. Wells. Our informant could only learn that Wells struck Glascock on the head with a tumbler, and afterwards shot him with a derringer, from the effects of which he died in about ten minutes.

NEW SCHOOL.—The meeting to consider ways and means for completing the new school edifice was not very largely attended. This was—partly at least—owing to misunderstanding as to the time of the meeting. A petition to the Legislature asking for power to borrow money for the above named purpose was quite numerously signed on election day.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DRAWING.—The managers are settling with agents and the Committee is making every preparation for the Drawing. The day will shortly be announced to the public.

(CARD.)

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:—My notice in this week's *Mail* I wish to correct through your valuable paper. Dr. Strong and I have had a satisfactory explanation in regard to some business done by him at this office for other parties some time since, which I had charged to him. I do not keep open accounts with any save the Sheriff's office and Bank. His (Dr. Strong's) bill was sent him through the Post-office. He paid the amount there, to be put in my box, which from some cause was not done. Several days passed, and thinking the Doctor had forgotten or would not pay any attention to the matter, I, while in a fit of anger, wrote the notice signed "Operator," in the above named paper. Hoping this statement will set matters to rights; wishing peace and good will to all, I conclude. The trouble is simply a misunderstanding.

Next *Yolo Mail* please copy, and oblige, Very Respectfully,

M. BOUNDS, Operator.

Woodland, October 21, 1871.

COUNTY COURT.—Court met on Monday morning pursuant to adjournment, Judge Johnson presiding.

Trial jurors drawn to sit for the term.

People vs. D. S. Glasscock—Defaulting witness. Attachment issued returnable forthwith. Brought into Court on the following morning. Ordered that he be imprisoned thirty days for contempt of Court.

The People vs. D. S. Glasscock—Witnesses notified to appear and testify.

The People vs. Dwight Griffin—Witnesses ordered to appear and testify. Convicted.

The People vs. Lorenzo Dexter—Cause continued for the term.

CURTIS & GILMAN.—Mr. Gilman, of the above firm, was in town the other day and made arrangements to advertise their business house in Sacramento, through our columns. He is about to go East for the purpose of selecting a stock of goods from the different cities on the Atlantic side, and will then have one of the most desirable assortments of goods to be found on the Pacific Slope, from which to select for Winter use.

PROMPT RESPONSE.—I. Hafky, Noble Arch of Dodona Grove No. 18, U. A. O. Druids, informs us that the Order in Woodland has contributed very liberally for the relief of their distressed Brethren in Chicago and have forwarded a nice sum to their Grand Secretary to be sent to Chicago. We learn that other orders in Woodland have also made liberal contributions.

REMOVED.—Nangle, the Anatomical Boot Maker has removed his shop to the Good Templars' building, opposite Roberts' livery stable and west of the railroad. He will make fashionable boots to order that will fit like a charm. He respectfully invites the patronage of his old customers and the public in general.

APPOINTED.—By some means the appointment of John Webber in place of J. W. Tucker, resigned, by the Board of Supervisors, was last week overlooked. Parties interested will take notice that Mr. Webber is now constable.

WILD GRAPES.—Any country that will produce wild grapes in such quantities as the Russian river bottom must be well adapted to the cultivation of domestic varieties. A mile or more below Sanel, on the road to Cloverdale, is a thicket in which the trees and underbrush are covered with wild grape-vines. The fruit is hanging in large clusters and so thick that at a little distance the trees appear to be a solid mass of grapes. From appearances we would suppose there were hundreds of tons to the acre.—Mendocino County Press.

PATRONIZE HOME MECHANICS.—Those intending to have their Buggies, Carriages and Wagons repainted or varnished "to preserve the wood and save expense," can have them as neatly, as well and as handsomely done in Woodland as anywhere in the State. There are several paint shops in Woodland where they pretend to do buggy painting; but those wanting a good, handsome and serviceable Job done, painted as a buggy should be, by all means should take it to ELLIOTT'S SHOP, for he has in his employ as good as any if not the best buggy painter on this coast. Besides, he uses none but the best paints, oils and varnishes; he buys no material "because it is cheap;" his motto is that the best is the cheapest always. His varnish and paint rooms can't be excelled anywhere, in being well finished and free from dust and dirt. The above superior advantages over other shops, is the reason why Elliot turns out better looking, better finished and more durable, and consequently gives customers better satisfaction than can be done in any shop within a thousand miles of Woodland. He has the best of mechanics in all the other branches of his business; but we call particular attention to his painting because good painters in these parts are as "few and far between as Angel's visits." Give him a call and he will give you satisfaction and charge you enough, too. He has finished and for sale quite a good assortment of Buggies and Farm and Spring Wagons, which he is offering at greatly reduced prices. oc7-1m*

GRAY HAIR may be made to take on its youthful color and beauty by the use of Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer, the best preparation for the Hair known to the science of medicine and chemistry.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Trust what Time Sanctions.

The maxim that the voice of the people is the voice of the divinity, may, in some cases, be open to doubt, but the testimony of honest and enlightened witnesses, extending through a series of years, and all to the same purport, is worthy of credence, admits of no question. Upon such testimony the reputation of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as an antidote and cure for many ailments is based. During the twenty years that it has been before the world, innumerable preparations intended to compete with it, have gone up like rockets and come down like the extinguished sticks. In the meantime the progress of that incomparable tonic has been swift and steady—always upward and onward like the eagle's flight. Its introduction produced a revolution in therapeutics, and it proved to be one of those salutary revolutions that cannot go backwards. To-day Hostetter's Bitters is one of the most popular remedies in Christendom, and commands a larger sale than any other medicinal preparation, domestic or imported, on this side of the Atlantic. As a cure for dyspepsia, bilious disorders, nervous affections, general debility, and as a preventive of epidemic fevers, it takes precedence of every other remedy. This fact should teach the ambitious country dealers who endeavor to foist their local abortions on the public in its stead, how futile their small attempts to cajole the community must necessarily be. Where the game fish have failed there is certainly no chance for the "suckers." oc

SELLING VOTES.—It is said that many votes were openly bought and sold at the election on Wednesday. We heard of one man who got most beautifully sold himself by the operation. Having been offered $5 by one party, he thought that as he had entered the market he'd see if he couldn't get a rise on that bid, and approached the other side, detailing the offer he had already received. Thereupon the second party approached said, "yes, I'll give you a check on the bank for $15 if you'll vote this ticket, and say no more about it." This was agreed to, the ballot straightway deposited, and the check filled out and delivered. Upon presenting it at the bank, however, the holder was informed by the Cashier that the signer had no account there; all the Bank could do for him was to "endorse it," and thereupon wrote across the face of the check, in large letters, the word "sold."

NEW MUSIC.—From the liberal and enterprising music publisher and dealer, M. Gray, 623 and 625 Clay street, San Francisco, we have received the following choice selection: The new and popular piece known as Emerson's great sensation, the Drum Major; The Silver Spear, polka militaire; My Dear Old Sunny Home, for the piano; Here We Go, gallop; Kitty McCree O'Tassel, comic song; As I Sit by the Fire, song; and a very excellent piece, a sacred song, entitled Give Us Thy Rest. Mr. Gray is a very liberal dealer, keeps a full stock of music and instruments, and any orders in his line will meet with prompt and careful attention.

GOOD OPPORTUNITY.—Parties desiring to rent a small, neat, new and comfortable house, at a low rental, can find such an one by inquiring at this office.

MARRIED.

In Woodland, October 15th, at the Christian Church, by Elder J. N. Pendegast, E. L. Cox to Mary E. Ruggles.

In Woodland, October 18th, by Judge Johnson, E. J. Englehart to Emma C. Edwards.

In Woodland, October 17th, by Rev. W. S. Urmy, Ira H. Vosburg to Amanda J. Wright.

At the residence of Dr. Boggs, Napa City, John H. Huston, of Lake county, to Clara L. Boggs,

At the Capital Hotel, Woodland, October 18th, by Justice Elias Peterson, Charles T. Van Namee to Laura Kilburn, both of Calistoga.

Religious Services.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Elder J. N. Pendegast. Services at the Chapel every Sabbath at 11 A.M. and 7.00 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7.00.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Preaching every Sunday, Washington Hall, by Rev. S. R. Rosboro, at 11 A. M. and 6:30 P. M. All are invited. Sabbath School immediately after the morning services.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. W. S. Urmy, Pastor. Preaching every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7.00 P. M. Seats free. Sabbath School at 9.30 A. M. Prayer-meeting, Thursday evening at 7.00, and Class-meeting on Monday evening at 7.00 o'clock, at the Church.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Mass will be celebrated in Knights Landing at 9. A. M. and in Woodland at 11. 30. A. M. on the first and third Sundays of each month. In Woodland at 10. A. M., and in Davisville at 11. 45. A. M., on the second and fourth Sundays of each month.

Courts of Yolo County.

DISTRICT COURT—Hon. Lewis Ramage, Judge; Ed. Bynum, Clerk. Regular Terms commence on the third Monday in May, September and January.

COUNTY COURT—Hon. James Johnson, Judge; Ed. Bynum, Clerk. Regular terms, on the first Monday in January, April, July and October.

PROBATE COURT—Hon. James Johnson, Judge; Ed. Bynum, Clerk. Regular terms, same as County Court.

Board of Supervisors.

Geo. H. Swingle, President; E. Roberts, R. Megowan. Regular meetings, on the first Monday in February, May, August and November

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HENRY ARONSON,

Main Street,.....WOODLAND,

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GENERAL MERCHANDISE,

Wholesale and Retail,

Would respectfully call the attention of purchasers to his well-selected stock of

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS

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FALL AND WINTER,

Also an extensive stock of

Clothing, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Hardware,

And everything usually found in a well-regulated store. ☞Thankful for past liberal patronage, a continuance is desired. se25-3m

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MEALS AT ALL HOURS COOKED TO ORDER.

M. FURNISS, late of the Capitol Hotel, has opened a Restaurant in the new brick building, opposite the College, where meals may be had at all hours.

REGULAR DINNER HOUR 12 O'CLOCK.

☞Nice Sleeping Rooms have been fitted up—large, clean, airy and well ventilated. au26-3m

For Sale or Rent.

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HUNTER HOUSE,

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Has been recently refitted and repainted and is now offered for sale or rent.

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se30tf Or GILES E. SILL, Woodland.

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GRAND GIFT CONCERT!

— AT —

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Public School, Fire Department, Masonic, Odd Fellows', Druids', and Good Templars'

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1,143 GIFTS!

Will be distributed to Ticket holders, AMOUNTING TO

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75,000 Tickets at $2 50 each.

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1 Gift gold coin	$20,000
1 Gift gold coin	10,000
1 Gift gold coin	5,000
1 Gift gold coin	2,500
1 Gift gold coin	1,000
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20 Gifts gold coin, $500 each	10,000
1 Gift gold coin	450
1 Gift gold coin	350
1 Gift gold coin	250
2 Gifts gold coin, $200 each	400
100 Gifts gold coin, $100 each	10,000
200 Gifts gold coin, $50 each	10,000
400 Gifts gold coin, $25 each	10,000
400 Gifts gold coin, $20 each	8,000
1,143 Gifts, amounting to	$100,000

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6th to aid the Good Templars' Building Fund.

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Cash on hand and in Bank,	$ 801,148 45
Real Estate	253,319 14
Mortgage Bonds	985,150 00
Bank Stock	1,448,895 00
United States, State and City Stock and other Public Securities	2,294,122 50
Total	$5,782,635 09

Losses Paid in 51 Years.....$28,000,000

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A Certain cure for Rheumatic and Mercurial affections, Scrofula or King's Evil, Salt Rheum, White Swellings, Tumors, Ulceration of the Bones, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Neuralgia, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Female Weakness and Obstructions, and all the

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☞IN EVERY STYLE!☜

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In great variety

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To which we ask the attention of this community, believing that it cannot be surpassed in Yolo county. A full assortment of

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Will be found with us at all times, and we shall keep fully up to the market in this department of our trade.

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Will receive special attention and the choicest qualities be kept on hand, fresh, throughout the season of each variety.

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Will be a leading feature of our establishment, and customers will be supplied with any number or quantity they may desire.

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Are particularly in our line, and purchasers can rely upon getting the best the market affords. But we cannot enumerate all our different kinds of goods in an advertisement.

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The Yolo Democrat.

Productiveness of Alfalfa.

Some years ago a number of men were conversing in Bakersfield, in Kern county, about feed for stock and the possibility of its running short. "Well," said one of them, "my horse is all right, anyhow, for I have half an acre of ground sown in alfalfa grass for him." At which his hearers all laughed incredulously. The idea of talking about half an acre of pasturage in a domain where the pasture is measured by the thousand acres seemed in the highest degree absurd. The speaker let them enjoy their laugh, and when they had done he immediately adopted the California plan of enlisting respect—offering to bet. He offered to bet his horse against any horse owned by the company that if one of the animals were put in the half acre of alfalfa, and picketed with a thirty-foot rope, it could not eat the grass off this small circle as quickly as it would grow. This silenced his hearers.

One farmer, J. R. Reeder, living within half a mile of the town of Bakersfield, has thirty-five acres of land sown with alfalfa. He keeps three men and a mower employed in the field continually, and they have never yet succeeded in getting ahead of the growth of the grass. It positively seems to leap up. It is among the most nourishing feed on which beef and dairy cattle can be fed. Reeder sells all he raises at $17 50 to $20 per ton on his farm, and draws from each acre of the thirty-five about $100 per year, of which at least one-half is net profit. The total crop this year will be two hundred tons. There is plenty of just as good land in Kern county, owned by the government and open to pre-emption and settlement, suitable for grain, corn, alfalfa, or fruit, and when the Southern Pacific Railroad is built, as it soon is to be, through that section, the land will be worth a high price, and its products will pay much better than they do now. Instead of selling this grass, it will then pay much better to raise cattle upon it, either for butter and cheese or beef-making purposes. The cars will then carry either of the three to a large and unfailing market. With these facts before them, those who have said they were too poor to own land, will have to admit either that they were mistaken, or that they are too lazy to become farmers on their own account. —*S. F. Bulletin, Oct. 6th.*

THE BEST TIME TO VISIT CALIFORNIA.—The first six months of the year are the best time to visit California; everything is bright and growing, and from January to June there is comparatively little dust or heat. After that the drouth is parching, and the whole interior, from the Sierras to the Cost Range, becomes yellow and arid. For days of travel not a green spot is seen, for not one house in fifty has a grass plat about it, the same requiring a little irrigation and the use of a wind mill. The old fields from which the wheat has been cut in May, or early in June, look distressingly barren in their coat of dirty yellow; all the foot-hills are brown or dirty gray, and over everything is dust, dust, dust. Not a drop of rain from May till late in October; then comes the drenching rains of Autumn, and the whole plain becomes a sea of liquid mud—a little too thick for navigation and a little too thin for roads. But this passes away in a month or two; the roads harden, and only moderate showers fall, and by the middle of January the growing season is fully begun. Then everything is lovely for a while. Strawberries are abundant in March, and every kind of early fruit and vegetables most plentiful. But the heavy fruit season comes later; so, if you cannot visit the state before July and avoid the dust, then come late in August or in September, and enjoy the fresh fruits. Do not, as the majority of Eastern tourists do, come in July, get all the evils and miss the comforts.

THE PUNISHMENT OF THE WHEEL. The punishment of the wheel which was suppressed in 1790, was one of the most frightful which can be imagined. The criminal was extended on a St. Andrew's cross. There were on it eight notches cut, one below each arm, between the elbow and wrist, another between each elbow and the shoulders; one under each thigh, and one under each leg. The executioner, armed with a heavy triangular bar of iron, gave a violent blow on each of these eight places, and, of course, broke the bone; and a ninth on the pit of the stomach. The mangled victim was now lifted from the cross and stretched on a small wheel, placed vertically at one of the ends of the cross, on the upper part of the wheel, his head and feet hanging down. The sentence bore, that he was to remain there as long as it pleased God to prolong his life. Many lingered there five or six hours, some longer. A son of a jeweler, in the *Place de la Dauphine*, who had murdered his father, was only relieved by death at the end of twenty-four hours. These unhappy wretches, often uttering horrible blasphemies, always tormented by a continual thirst, incessantly calling out for something to drink. A man of God, a priest, never left their side during the excruciating agony, but incessantly put water to their parched lips, wiped the sweat from their burning brow, and pointed to a merciful God above the scaffold, extending his arms to receive them. This holy duty was always discharged by a doctor of the Sorbonne.

BEET SUGAR.—The Alvarado Beet Sugar Mill has commenced to work on the present year's crop. The *Alta* has the following on the subject:

The supply of beets will come from five hundred acres, supposed to amount to 8,000 tons (or sixteen tons to the acre), and to produce probably 1,125,000 pounds of sugar or 2,250 pounds to the acre. It is estimated that the beets will yield eight per cent. or 160 pounds of sugar to the ton. The juice has been tested and has been found unusually rich in saccharine matter—rumor says that some tests went up to fifteen per cent. The crop is light on some of the higher land, but is usually good in quality. The yield of beet sugar last year was 500,000 pounds, so this year will show an increase of more than one hundred per cent. Considerable additions have been made to the mill since March last, including a new boiler, a new evaporator, two new filters, two new centrifugals, and a bone coal furnace. The capacity is now sixty tons per day, so that 8,000 tons will keep the mill going about five months. The remainder of the year will probably be devoted to the refining of imported sugar. Since the 15th of April last 600 tons have been refined. While the work was novel it went slowly, but it reached ten tons per day before the end of the season. The Sacramento Beet Sugar Company have imported a good lot of improved machinery from Germany and expect to work up about two hundred acres of beets.

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Also the latest novelty of

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—SUCH AS—

Leghorn, Chip, Split, Silk and Velvet. Also a great variety of Gimpum and other Laces.

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In Sacramento, October 31st,

For the purpose of establishing

A FREE LABOR EXCHANGE!

Where the working class can get employment without any fees, and where farmers, millmen, business men, housewives, etc., can secure reliable employes. It is a benefit to the entire country. Let all put their shoulders to the wheel and help it along. Laborers, mechanics, capitalists, farmers, housemaids, in fact everybody, should have at least one of the tickets in this Concert. It is putting money in your own pockets and at the same time giving you a chance of getting a gift that will make you independent.

100,000 Tickets will be sold at $3 Each,

EACH TICKET CONSISTS OF 4 COUPONS.

During the Concert there will be distributed to the Ticket holders the following gifts.

1 Gift of gold coin	$20,000
1 Gift of gold coin	15,000
1 Gift of gold coin	10,000
1 Gift, Mrs. Graham's Ranch, in Solano county, 160 acres	7,500
1 Gift of gold coin	5,000
1 Gift of Real Estate, Fifth street, between I and J, 60 x 80	5,000
1 Gift of gold coin	4,000
1 Gift of gold coin	3,000
1 Gift of gold coin	2,000
5 Gifts of gold coin, $1000 each	5,000
5 Gifts of gold coin, $500 each	2,500
20 Gifts of gold coin, $300 each	6,000
25 Gifts of gold coin, $250 each	5,000
100 Gifts of gold coin, $100 each	10,000
100 Gifts of gold coin, $50 each	5,000
850 Gifts of gold coin, $30 each	15,000
1,500 Gifts of gold coin, $20 each	30,000
2,264 Gifts, amounting to	$150,000

The Gifts will be awarded in a precisely similar manner as at the Concert given in San Francisco, in aid of the Mercantile Library, under the supervision of a Committee of well-known citizens of Sacramento.

All Money will be deposited in the Capital Savings Bank.

By special permission, the Management refer to the following well-known citizens of this State:

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Sacramento City is, comparatively speaking, a small place, alongside of most of the cities in the United States. Were it not for the indomitable perseverance of its inhabitants, it would long ago have been among the things that were. It has had severe fires, sweeping the whole city out of existence; but only to be rebuilt again. It has been flooded a number of times, destroying hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of property, but still it lives and prospers. It is a well-known fact that it was the perseverance of Sacramento people that built the Central Pacific Railroad. Most all large California enterprises have originated in Sacramento. Many of the largest mercantile houses on this coast obtained their start in this city. It is now proposed to organize a Free Labor Exchange. This is not a local institution, but will benefit not only the whole of its State, but also Oregon and Nevada as well. This Gift Concert has been chosen as the most feasible manner to raise a fund large enough to place the Labor Exchange on a sound basis. The enterprise has been undertaken by some of Sacramento's best citizens, who have the requisite perseverance and nerve to carry it through successfully.

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Jewelry,
Fancy Goods,
Toys, etc.,

For sale at the LOWEST FIGURES. We solicit a share of public patronage.

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PRICES SAME AS THE HOTELS.

Meals can be obtained at all hours of the day or night.

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Sign of "French Restaurant."
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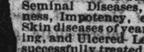
Stage  **Line**

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